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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

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BILL NUMBER: HB 1030

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BILL AMENDED: Jan 24, 2002

SUBJECT: Leave for Organ or Bone Marrow Donation.

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FUNDS AFFECTED: X **GENERAL**
DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: (Amended) This bill allows a state employee of the executive branch to take a paid leave of absence for the purpose of being an organ donor or bone marrow donor. It provides that an anatomical gift is made if a person acknowledges on the application form for a driver's license or identification card that the person is making an anatomical gift.

Effective Date: July 1, 2002.

Explanation of State Expenditures: (Revised) This bill allows certain state employees to take up to five days of paid leave to serve as a bone marrow donor or up to 30 days paid leave to serve as an organ donor. The impact of this bill is indeterminable and will be contingent upon the number of employees who choose to become a donor as a result of the provision, the position of the donor, and whether or not the agency for which the donor works will need to pay overtime to other employees or hire a temporary replacement. On average, it is expected that roughly one state employee each year would request paid leave under this provision.

Bureau of Motor Vehicles (BMV): The bill makes changes to the organ donation information imprinted on driver's licenses and identification cards issued by the BMV. These changes are not expected to have a significant fiscal impact on the Bureau.

Background Information: According to the United Network for Organ Sharing, there were 4,684 organ donations made from living donors in 1999. The majority (4,466) of these were kidney donations. There were approximately 1,700 bone marrow transplants in the U.S. in 2000. At any given time approximately 3,000 patients search the National Marrow Donor Program's database of 4.7 M volunteer potential donors for a match. There were a 58 kidney transplants, 3 liver transplants, and 18 bone marrow transplants from all living donors in Indiana during 2000.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

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State Agencies Affected: Executive department agencies; Bureau of Motor Vehicles.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: National Marrow Program; United Network of Organ Sharing, 2000 Annual Report; National Kidney Foundation; Indiana University Medical Center.